1	2	3
पूर्वी क्षेत्र		
कलकत्ता	82–86	77–82
पटना	72–76	73–76
भुवनेश्वर	71–72	71–73
गुवाहाटी	98–100	93–95
पश्चिमी क्षेत्र		
बम्बई	83–86	80–83
भोपाल	70–72	69–70
गोआ	78–80	72–76
अहमदाबाद	75–79	74–78
राजकोट	75–79	74–78
बड़ौदा	75–79	74–78
सूरत	75–79	74–78
दक्षिण क्षेत्र		
मद्रास	69–74	69–74
त्रिवेन्द्रम	80–84	80–84
बंगलौर	75–78	75–78
हैदराबाद	65–68	65–68
कालीकट	77–84	77–84

Import of implements for Central Hospital, Glybenclamide

*168. SHRI MOHD. KHALEELUR RAHMAN:
SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU:

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to refer to the answer to starred Question 5 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 30th April, 1990 and state:

(a) what was the amount assessed on Glybenclamide by the Special Team and when were the findings of assesment submitted to his Ministry; and

(b) what was the period for which assessment was made by the team on this drug?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) The Special Team tentatively assessed an amount of Rs. 2.59 lakhs as due from Ms. Hoechst India Limited upto 31st December, 1983 in respect of Glybenclamide bulk drug, in its resport submitted to the Government in May, 1988.

(b) In respect of Glybenclamide, the assessment was made for the period 17th November, 1983 to 31st December, 1983.

Import of implements for Central Hospital, Asansol

*169. SHRI SUNIL BASU RAY: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that 2 sophisticated implements were imported a few years back, for treatment of cancer patients at the Central Hospital, Kalla, Asansol;

(b) if so, from which country these were imported and what was their cost and foreign exchange component;

(c) how many cancer patients were treated with the equipment;

(d) what observations were made by Internal Audit and whether they were considered by the appropriate authority; if so ,what action was taken thereon;

(e) which authority was responsible for this import and whether Government are aware of several allegations against him; and

(f) if so, what are the details thereof and what action has been taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI ARIF MOHAMMED KHAN): (a) For treatment of Cancer patients at the Central Hospital, Kalla, Asansol; one Deep-therapy X-ray machine alongwith a Portable X-ray Dosemeter was imported in February, 1985.

(b) The X-ray machine was imported from Holland and the the Dose Meter from U.K., at a total cost of Rs. 12,24,818/-. The purchase order specified foreign exchange component as follows: HFL (Dutch Currency) 2,52,627 and £ 2046.

(c) Six patients have been treated so far.

(d) The internal audit which gave its observations on 15-7-1986 made the following points:

(i) The purchase was not preceded by proper planning of all the civil works in order to ensure prompt installation of the machinery an arrival so that commissioning could be achieved with in the warranty period.

(ii) The delay in installation of the machine had resulted in the purpose for which the machine had been procured not being realised for an avoidably long period. They wanted that the installation of the machine should be expedited and the person incharge should be made accountable for the delay and any defects which may have developed in the machine on account of long storage and non-commissioning within the warranty period.

The machine was installed in premises which were made in conformity with the safety parameters prescribed by Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC). The installation was done with the assistance of the suppliers' representative M/s. Peico Electronics and Electrical Ltd., New Delhi who did not charge any additional amount. Trial run was held in January, 1990 in the presence of officials from BARC and their clearance was obtained on 25th January, 1990. The machine has been in operation with the requisite personnel from April, 1990.

(e) and (f) The C.B.I. are seized of the matter and their investigations have not yet been completed.

Overcharged amount recoverable from drug companies

*170. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) what was the total overcharged amount recoverable from the drug companies at the end of the financial year 1989-90 and what was the figure at the end of 1988-89;

(b) since when the recovery of the overcharged amount has been pending;

(c) what are the reasons for the delay in the recovery from the drug companies; and

(d) what corrective steps have been taken by Government in this matter?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) Names of the companies against whom liability has been tentatively assessed, amounts so